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In re application of: Masato KOIKE et al.

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Title: VIBRATOR SUPPORT STRUCTURE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR THE

SUPPORT STRUCTURE

REQUEST TO HAVE PREVIOUS ISSUE FEE APPLIED TO NEW ISSUE FEE

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Sir:

In response to the decision to grant the petition filed February 21, 2006, Applicants hereby request that the Issue Fee and Publication Fee paid on February 14, 2006, be applied to the new Issue Fee, due to be paid on or before July 13, 2006.

Applicants attach a copy of the decision on the petition to withdraw the aboveidentified application from issue after payment of the issue fee, dated February 22, 2006. Serial No. 10/735,704 May 12, 2006 Page 2 of 2

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge any amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1353.

Respectfully submitted,

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